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## The Cleveland Convention.

The conservative Soldiers' Convention at Cleveland, for which such great preparations had been made, and from which so much was expected, has proved to be a very slim affair. The attendance was small, the reception by the people of Cleveland was cool, the weather was disagreeable, and the proceedings were tame. Poor old General Wool, who is superannuated, and was laid on the shelf during the war, made a speech which had about as much reference to the real issues of the day as Agassiz's last dissertation upon the fishes of Brazil had. The only enthusiastic thing about the Convention was the exchange of congratulations with the Rebel General Forrest, the hero of the Fort Pillow massacre. The chief actor and speaker seems to have been Tom Ewing, Jr., formerly of Kansas, but lately of Secretary Browning's law office and claim agency in Washington.

This Tom Ewing is a son of old Tom Ewing, of Ohio, and that is the only remarkable thing about him except his love of office. He entered the service late in 1862, and resigned before the war was over. He was mainly employed on the border in Kansas and Missouri. He will live in the history of the war as the author of "General Order No. 11," by which he depopulated the main portion of several counties in Western Missouri, and as the officer in command through whose lines the guerilla Quantrell marched for some sixty miles, perpetrated the Lawrence massacre, and returned, passing again through Ewing's lines, without the loss of a single man. Tom at that time was very radical, and especially upon those very points which he now so immoderately assails. However, he was then, in addition to his other duties, a candidate for the United States Senate from the State of Kansas. Tom is of the chameleon order in politics. He went to Kansas originally a conservative, and changed to a radical; he was for a while a bitter anti-Lane man, and changed to a supporter of Lane; he was a Republican when in Kansas, but has become a Democrat since he removed to Washington. His only misfortune has been that he has generally changed just at the wrong time. He has one principle, however, which he sticks to with commendable fidelity, and that is the advancement of Tom Ewing, Jr.

The Cleveland Convention is a failure. The most of the officers of distinction whose names were announced as delegates did not attend, never authorized the use of their names, and had no sympathy with the movement.

## Sale at Last.

AFTER a delay of six months, we have at last succeeded in securing the legitimate fruits of our victory in New Jersey, and yesterday Hon. Alexander G. Cattell was duly elected United States Senator. We hail this result with peculiar satisfaction. The aid of New Jersey in the great contest now going on was of vital importance to our success. We wanted to have a solid phalanx of all the Northern States, so that there should be no shield held down in repelling the charge of the foe.

We wanted to have every loyal State loyally represented, and we have succeeded in our wishes, with the exception of the great Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. When the returns are all made to the office of the Secretary of State in regard to the ratification or rejection of the amendment, it will be found that every free State has given its assent. This declaration of unanimity on the part of those who have conquered the South cannot but cause conviction in the Southern mind, and will lead to the consent of a sufficient number of the late Rebel Commonwealths to make it the supreme law of the land. That part of our victory in New Jersey was secured some days since.

Hon. Alexander Cattell is a gentleman of the highest personal probity, and of the most unspotted political record. He is a loyalist of the loyalists, a radical of the radicals. Never having mingled in the pool of local politics, he is uncontaminated with the refuse which abounds there, and goes to the capital an excellent and successful merchant and public-spirited citizen. His practical knowledge of what is needed in the commercial world will make him invaluable in the councils of that body, of which so large a proportion are men of law. And in making the selection they did, the legislators performed the work assigned to them by their constituents in manner unexceptionable in every respect.

In regard to Mr. J. M. Scovel, whose course has compelled us to speak rather unkindly, we join with the Republican caucus in their welcome of him back to the fold. He is an able man, and will, if he continues steadfast to his principle, rise in his party to posts of honor, which will secure fame for their occupant. But the closest approach to Charybdis, without being engulfed, was made during the last six months by the Senator from Camden.

**NOMINATION OF WENDELL PHILLIPS FOR CONGRESS.**—The working men of the Third Congressional District of Massachusetts have nominated Wendell Phillips for Congress. There is some talk of a Republican candidate in opposition, but if Mr. Phillips runs he will be elected.

## The Platte City Massacre.

The conservatives of Missouri have at last hounded on their deluded followers to acts of violence and bloodshed. Platte City, which is now held by a Rebel force, is the county seat of Platte county. The whole county was occupied and overrun during the war by Rebel bushwhackers. Nine-tenths of the inhabitants were disloyal. The able-bodied men went into Price's army or into the brush, and the rest harbored and supported them. Before these people were Rebels they were "border ruffians," Platte county being the general headquarters for pro-slavery raids and incursions upon Kansas in the early days of the free-State struggle.

It is not unlikely that affairs in Missouri may soon become of national importance, and our readers should understand that the issue there is upon upholding the Constitution, the laws, and the constitutional authorities of the State. The conservatives are law-breakers, law-defiers, rebels against the Government. The radicals stand by the Constitution and laws of the State, and the regularly constituted authorities. It is a contest between law and lawlessness; between order and confusion; between constitutional government and the wildest anarchy.

## \$20,000.

MR. HENRY J. RAYMOND, when he was deposed from his position as Chairman of the National Union Executive Committee, held in his hands \$20,000 of the funds of the party. These funds have not been received by the regular officer. May we ask the "little villain" what has become of "them \$20,000?"

THE New York Herald speaks the following words of cheer to Mr. Heister Clymer, in an editorial this morning, supporting Hon. Simon Cameron for the United States Senate:

"The gubernatorial election in Pennsylvania will be all one way. Major-General Gery will undoubtedly be elected by a majority that will settle the question at issue in all the other loyal States, and revive the old proverb, 'As goes Pennsylvania so goes the Union.' Thousands of the supporters of President Johnson cannot conscientiously vote for Heister Clymer, and the President himself cannot desire the defeat of such a candidate as Gery. The chief importance of the Pennsylvania election, therefore, is in its bearings upon the next Senatorship."

**COLORADO.**—The official returns in Colorado elect Chilcott, the Republican candidate, by a small majority. This is the election over which the Wigwam Convention went into such ecstasies, in the belief that it had gone Democratic.

**UNION ADDRESS.**—Read the able, dispassionate, and convincing address of the National Union Committee, to be found in our columns to-day. It presents the real issues of the campaign with great force and directness.

**RELIEVED.**—General Baird has been relieved of his command in New Orleans, and ordered to duty in General Hooker's department. The Rebel Mayor Monroe will doubtless feel much easier now.

**NO MORE ABOUT GRANT.**—The Democratic papers have stopped quoting General Grant. They don't take as much interest in his views as they did a few days since.

**SOLDIERS IN COUNCIL.**—Fifteen hundred Union soldiers were in council yesterday in Boston. They vote as they fought—for the Union.

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

**MUJAVIRO.**—WE COPY THE FOLLOWING meritorious notice of this most delicious perfume from *Forney's Press*:

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## HEADQUARTERS

**Republican Invincibles.**

**HARRISBURG EXCURSION!**

All members of the Club desirous of visiting Harrisburg

**ON SATURDAY EVENING NEXT,**  
Will register their names on roll provided at the Room, in order to enable the Committee to arrange for transportation.

BY ORDER OF

GEORGE TRUMAN, Jr., Marshal.

**HEADQUARTERS REPUBLICAN INVINCIBLES.**

ORDER No. 3.  
Members will assemble at 7 o'clock, sharp, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, the 19th instant, to participate in the Grand Torchlight Parade in the Third Congressional District.

By order of  
GEORGE TRUMAN, Jr., Marshal.

**COMPANY H—REPUBLICAN INVINCIBLES.**—Meeting of the Company at No. 814 CHESNUT Street, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, 19th inst., at 7 o'clock for parade.

A. P. COLLEBERRY, Captain.  
CHARLES J. TAYLOR, Secretary. 915 emtp

**HEADQUARTERS REPUBLICAN INVINCIBLES.**

ORDER No. 6.  
Members will assemble fully equipped for parade, on THURSDAY EVENING, at 7 o'clock, to participate in the demonstration to be held at Chestnut Hill.

By order of  
GEORGE TRUMAN, Jr., Marshal.

**THIRTEENTH WARD.**—THE LOYAL Union citizens of the Thirteenth Ward are requested to meet on WEDNESDAY EVENING, 19th inst., at the corner of FRANKLIN and RYTON WOOD Streets, at 7 o'clock, for the purpose of participating in the parade of the Union organizations of the Third Congressional District. A band of music will be in attendance. By order of the Executive Committee.

THOMAS COCHRAN, N. President.  
CHARLES M. CARPENTER, Secretary. 915 emtp

**FOR ALDERMAN, FIFTH WARD,**

WILLIAM W. DOUGHERTY. 915 emtp

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

(See the Second Page for additional Special Notices.)

## UNION REPUBLICAN TICKET.

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HON. WILLIAM S. PIERCE.

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CITY COMMISSIONER.

CAPTAIN HENRY CONNER.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

CONGRESS.

First District—Hon. CHARLES O'NEILL.

Second District—Hon. LEONARD MYERS.

Third District—Hon. WILLIAM D. KELLEY.

Fourth District—Hon. CALVIN N. TAYLOR.

SENATOR.

First District—JEREMIAH NICHOLS.

RECORDER OF DEEDS.

MAJOR GENERAL JOSHUA T. OWEN.

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Sixth District—JAMES E. BROWN.

Seventh District—JAMES E. BROWN.

Eighth District—JAMES E. BROWN.

Ninth District—FRID. DITTMAN.

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Eleventh District—W. M. J. DONOHUE.

Twelfth District—ALEXANDER ADAMS.

Thirteenth District—E. O. S. RENSER.

Fourteenth District—W. M. WOBRAILL.

Fifteenth District—GEORGE DE HAVEN, Jr.

Sixteenth District—DAVID WALLACE.

Seventeenth District—EDWARD G. LEE.

Eighteenth District—JAMES N. MARKS.

By order of Union Republican City Executive Committee.

WILLIAM R. LEEDS, President.

JOHN L. HILL, Secretary.

JOSEPH S. ALLEN, Secretary. 918 emtp

**ATTENTION! "BOYS IN BLUE."**  
MYERS CAMPAIGN CLUBS AND ASSOCIATIONS OF THE THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

A Grand Torchlight Procession of the friends of Hon. LEONARD MYERS and the whole Union ticket will take place on WEDNESDAY EVENING, September 19, 1866.

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ONE CASE

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In all the choice shades of colors.

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Splendid Quality Corded Silks,

In all the new choice shades of colors.

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In every style and variety. 914 emtp

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